

STATE OF ILLINOIS
HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

Meeting of Panel C
June 17, 2009
11:00 a.m.

James R. Thompson Center
100 W. Randolph Street, Suite 5-300
Chicago, Illinois 60601

MINUTES

Present: Commissioners

Sakhawat Hussain, M.D. (Panel Chair)
Rozanne Ronen

Absent

Spencer Leak, Sr.

Staff

N. Keith Chambers
Donyelle L. Gray
Bricia Herrera
Harriet Parker
Meghan J. Paulas
Christine Welninski
Stephanie Fajuri, Coles Fellow
Erica Gelfand, Coles Fellow
Dan Marovitch, Coles Fellow

I. Call to Order

A meeting of Human Rights Commission Panel C was called to order on June 17, 2009 at 11:55 a.m. by Panel Chair Hussain.

II. Consideration of Minutes

The minutes of the meeting of May 20, 2009 were approved as submitted by staff. Motion made by Commissioner Ronen, seconded by Commissioner Hussain. Motion carried 2-0.

III. Requests for Review

A. *Weihua Wang v. University of Chicago*
ALS No. 09-0124 Charge No. 2008CF2105 EEOC No 21BA81093

The panel voted to sustain the dismissal of the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Ronen, seconded by Commissioner Hussain. Motion carried 2-0.

B. *Mona El-Harazin v. Waste Management*
ALS No. 09-0094 Charge No. 2008CF3096 EEOC No. 21BA81896

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The panel voted to sustain the dismissal of the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Ronen, seconded by Commissioner Hussain. Motion carried 2-0.

- C. *Rafael Lopez v. ALAMP Concrete Construction*
 ALS No. 09-0149 Charge No. 2008CF3597 EEOC No. 21BA82279

The panel voted to sustain the default of the above-referenced matter and ordered that the matter be referred to an Administrative Law Judge for a hearing on damages. Motion made by Commissioner Ronen, seconded by Commissioner Hussain. Motion carried 2-0.

- D. *Latonia Payne v. City of Chicago, Law Department*
 ALS No. 09-0150 Charge No. 2008CF2897 EEOC No. 21BA81737

The panel voted to sustain the dismissal of the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Ronen, seconded by Commissioner Hussain. Motion carried 2-0.

- E. *James Garner v. PC Development, Phillip Cocomise*
 ALS No. 09-0155 Charge No. 2009CH1017 HUD No. 05-08-1928-8

The panel voted to sustain the dismissal of the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Ronen, seconded by Commissioner Hussain. Motion carried 2-0.

IV. Motion for Extension of Time to File Exceptions

- Anne Johnson v. State of Illinois, Department of Human Services*
Charge No. 1995CF1530 ALS No. 9111R

The panel voted to grant the above-referenced Motion. Motion made by Commissioner Hussain, seconded by Commissioner Ronen. Motion carried 2-0.

V. Motion for Extension of Time to File Reply

- Jian Li v. 1. Prairie Management & Development, Inc. 2. Neighborhood
Redevelopment Associates, L.P.*
ALS No. 09-0116 Charge No. 2009CH1182 HUD No. 050900528

The panel voted to grant the above-referenced Motion. Motion made by Commissioner Hussain, seconded by Commissioner Ronen. Motion carried 2-0.

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VI. Consideration of Settlements.

DHR#	Complainant	Respondent
1. 2006CF2261	W. Holmes	Cathy's Ultimate Soul Food
2. 2009CH2672	A. Carr	The Monadnock Building
3. 2009CF2248	A. Garcia Rangel	Chi-Town Pizza, Inc.
4. 2009CF0056	M. Gibson	Sara Hospitality, Inc. d/b/a D-Lux
5. 2008CP3929	J. Ward	Greyhound Bus Company
6. 2009SF0519	L. Bratton	The Swan Corporation
7. 2008CF3255	S. Coleman	The Valspar Corporation
8. 2008CF3266	S. Coleman	The Valspar Corporation

The panel approved the settlements in the above-referenced matters 1-8. Motion made by Commissioner Ronen, seconded by Commissioner Hussain. Motion carried 2-0.

VII. Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:10 p.m. Motion made by Commissioner Hussain, seconded by Commissioner Ronen. Motion carried 2-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Harriet Parker
General Counsel